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Prevention of Sea-Sickness.

The Medical Record brings the full text of Dr. A. D. Rockwell's paper on "The Preventive Treatment of Seasickness," read a month ago before the New York County Medical Society.

It may not be so easy to dispel the popular fallacy that seasickness is a good thing inasmuch as it "has a special power to relieve and clear up the system."

Discarding the theory that seasickness comes primarily from the stomach or the liver, he pins his faith to the theory that it is "dependent upon a functional disturbance of the central nervous system."

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should be embodied in impeachment proceedings. Such an accusation and such language should not be heard under any other circumstances.

A senator who has no more regard for common decency is not worthy of serious attention, and yet the world cannot be expected to know just what manner of creature it is that is doing this scandalous talking.

When Tillman talks the cause of free silver is unfortunate in its advocate. Such stuff as he reels off must disgust the country.

A Bad Name for a Good Thing. Some good people who should know better, who are deeply interested in the Ohio river improvement and are working for its success, speak of the promised visit of the river and harbors committee as a "junket."

A junket is an outing or feasting or both had by public officials at the public cost. The proposed visit of the committee from Washington is to make personal inspection of a river which Congress is asked to improve as a necessary public enterprise.

The visit will give the committee more information and a better appreciation of the situation in a few days than it could get in Washington in ten years. The visit is not to be at the public cost.

The visit, therefore, will be in no sense a junket. To call it so may disgust the committee and defeat the object in view. It is better not to call a good thing by an offensive name.

Cullom's candidacy and McKinley instructions suggest that things are a little mixed in Illinois. The Cuban Resolution. The Cuban resolution reported by the senate committee on foreign relations is very mild. It asks the President to use his good offices with Spain to induce that country to grant the Cubans belligerent rights.

We do not recall that Spain took the trouble to confer with the government in Washington before recognizing the Confederate States of America. There is not much strength of fibre in the senate resolution. It is of value only as showing sympathy, which has been more impressively shown in public meetings and in the public press.

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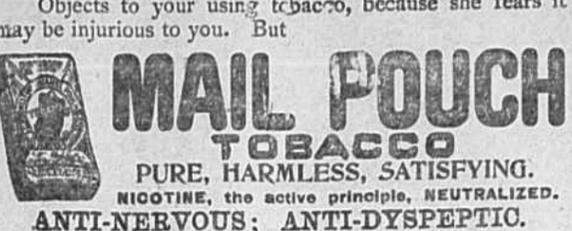
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REED IS FOR THE WOMEN. The Speaker of the House on Record in Favor of Woman Suffrage.

In 1834 Thomas B. Reed, of Maine, was a member of the house committee on judiciary, and in a minority report on a woman suffrage bill, written by himself, made use of the following language: "In civilized countries, when it was proposed that women should own their own property, that they should have the earnings of their own labor, there were not wanting those who were sure that such a proposition could work only evil to them, and that continually. It would destroy the family, discordant interests would provoke dispute, and the only real safety for women was in the headship of man, not that man wanted superiority for any selfish reasons, but to preserve intact the family relations for woman's good."

"To-day" woman's property belongs to herself; her earnings are her own; she has been emancipated beyond the wildest hopes of any reformer of twenty-five years ago. Almost every vocation is open to her. She has proven her usefulness in spheres which the "nature" worshipped by the conservatives of twenty-five years ago absolutely forbade her to enter.

"Thirty years ago hardly any political assemblage of the people was graced by the presence of women. Had it needed a law to enable them to be present, what an argument could have been made against it! How easily it could have been shown that the coarseness, the dubious expressions, the general vulgarity of the scene could have had no other effect than to break down their purity of word and thought which women have, and which conservative and radical are alike sedulous to preserve."

"And yet the actual presence of women at political meetings has not debased them, but has raised the other sex. Coarseness has not been diffused through both sexes, but has fled from both. To put the whole matter in a short space, the association of the sexes in the family circle, in society, and in business, having proved improving to both, there is neither history, reason, nor sense to justify the assertion that association in politics would lower the one or demoralize the other."

"It is sometimes asserted that women now have a great influence in politics through their husbands and brothers. That is undoubtedly true. But that is just the kind of influence which is not wholesome for the community, for it is influence unaccompanied by responsibility. People are always ready to recommend to others what they would not do themselves. If it be true that women cannot be prevented from exercising political influence, it is not only another reason why they should be steadi in their political action by that proper sense of responsibility which comes from acting themselves."

"We conclude, then, every reason which in this country bestows the ballot upon man is equally applicable to the proposition to bestow the ballot upon woman, that in our judgment there is no foundation for the fear that woman will thereby become unfitted for all of the duties she has hitherto performed."

"Bosses" in Politics. Morgantown Post: Some of the Democratic papers of West Virginia (notably the Wetzel Democrat, whose articles are copied by the lesser lights and small-fry Democratic sheets) are pleased to term Senator Ekins "a boss."

State Supreme Court. Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer. CHARLESTON, W. Va., Jan. 29.—The supreme court convened this morning with all the judges present. The following orders were made: D. C. Nest et al., vs. G. W. Buffington, from Wirt county, continued; H. F. Dicker, commissioner, vs. W. H. Smith, jr., et al., from Wood county, submitted; Dudley Adams vs. Harriess, from Wood county, submitted; Weeks & Co., vs. C. L. Dawson, from Jefferson county, submitted; state of West Virginia vs. Dr. W. E. Perry, from Jefferson county, submitted.

Were Shot and Killed. DURANGO, Colo., Jan. 29.—"Kid" Moore and George Bricker, who had been ordered by Marshal Thompson to leave town and did not go, were shot and killed in their shanty on the outskirts of the city by Thompson and Officer Farnbinder. As the officers refused to testify at the inquest, the coroner's jury returned a verdict that the men were killed by persons unknown. The officers claim they shot the men in self defense, but as their victims never carried firearms, other proceedings are likely to be taken.

Mr. Gladstone on Armenian Question. NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—A special to the Herald from London says: Mr. Gladstone has written another letter on the Armenian question, in which, after referring to the "murderous wickedness of the sultan, his absolute victory over the powers, and their unparalleled disgrace and defeat," he says: "I cannot wholly abandon the hope that out of this darkness light will arise, but the matter rests with Almighty God, who surely all should address fervent prayers in behalf of His suffering creatures."

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